

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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Gary BEE et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1634
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Application No.: 09/880,732)	Examiner: Diana B. Johannsen
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For: ASSAY FOR GENETIC)	
POLYMORPHISMS USING)	
SCATTERED LIGHT DETECTABLE)	
LABELS)	

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.111

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Sir:

In complete response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2008, Applicants submit herewith a petition for three-month extension of time extending the period of response from April 4, 2008 to July 4, 2008, and the following Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this Response.